of Joshua Miles, an officer of the Revolution, the half pay of a captain, in consideration of the services of her husband.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, the report concurred in, and the resolution therein contained assented to, and sent to the senate.

Mr. Dudley, submitted the following resolution,

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That he Treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to Alexander Cowan, sixty four dollars, for his services as Sergeant at Arms, and to Henry Coulter, twenty eight dollars, for services rendered as Doorkeeper, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Which was read the first and second time by special order, assented to, and sent to the senate,

On motion of Mr. Merrick, the house took up for consideration the message from the senate, in relation to the resolution for purchasing furniture for the Government House,

Mr. Merrick, then moved to amend the resolution by striking out 'one,' and inserting 'three,'

Determined in the negative.

Mr. Duckett, moved to amend said resolution by striking out 'one,' and inserting 'two,'

Resolved in the affirmative.

The said resolution was then read as amended, assented to, and sent to the senate.

On motion of Mr. McLean, the house took up for consideration the bill from the senate, entitled, a supplement to the act, entitled, an act to incorporate the Baltimore and Port Deposite Rail Road company, passed at December session 1831, chapter 288,

Mr. Gough, moved to amend said bill by striking out in the 1st. section, fifth line, the word 'Bush,'

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Boyd, said bill was amended by inserting in the same section and line after the word 'streams,' these words, 'except the Susquehanna river,'

Mr. Boyd, moved further to amend said section by striking out in the 9th line thereof 'twenty,' and inserting 'thirty,"

Determined in the negative.

On motion of Mr. Boyd, said bill was amended by striking out in the second section, tenth line, these words, 'where the same is navigable with masted vessels,'